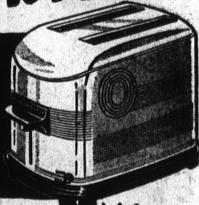


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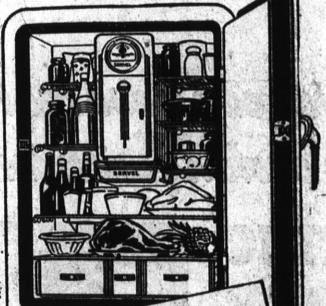
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UNEMPLOYMENT BENEFIT TABLES

WEEKLY EARNINGS	WEEKLY BENEFIT	WEEKLY EARNINGS	WEEKLY BENEFIT
\$ 50.00-100.00	15.00	\$100.00-150.00	22.50
100.00-150.00	22.50	150.00-200.00	30.00
150.00-200.00	30.00	200.00-250.00	37.50
200.00-250.00	37.50	250.00-300.00	45.00
250.00-300.00	45.00	300.00-350.00	52.50
300.00-350.00	52.50	350.00-400.00	60.00
350.00-400.00	60.00	400.00-450.00	67.50
400.00-450.00	67.50	450.00-500.00	75.00
450.00-500.00	75.00	500.00-550.00	82.50
500.00-550.00	82.50	550.00-600.00	90.00
550.00-600.00	90.00	600.00-650.00	97.50
600.00-650.00	97.50	650.00-700.00	105.00
650.00-700.00	105.00	700.00-750.00	112.50
700.00-750.00	112.50	750.00-800.00	120.00
750.00-800.00	120.00	800.00-850.00	127.50
800.00-850.00	127.50	850.00-900.00	135.00
850.00-900.00	135.00	900.00-950.00	142.50
900.00-950.00	142.50	950.00-1000.00	150.00

The above chart reveals the operation of California's Unemployment Reserves Act with regard to claims for benefits subsequent to January 30, 1939. As an example, if a claimant files for benefits in April, May or June, 1939, earnings over the entire year 1938 are used as "base period." Column in the lower right shows the amount of benefits paid on earnings in the base period, and column in the lower left shows the weekly benefit rate, which is based on the amount of wages earned in the "highest quarter during the base period."

New Job Insurance Claim Procedure

Under California's new law for filing unemployment compensation claims which became effective January 30, anyone who has worked in subject employment for the period of one year, and who has earned a minimum of \$156 may draw benefits.

A graduated scale up to earnings of \$1500 for the entire year is contained in the new law, and earnings of this amount entitle the claimant to maximum benefits of \$300.

The law also sets the weekly benefit amount by computing the amount of wages in the highest quarter. Weekly payments are from \$7 to \$15, depending on earnings in the highest quarter.

Under California's old law, it was necessary to earn \$156 in two calendar quarters to receive any benefits, and to have earned \$3,120 in two years to receive maximum benefits of \$300. Now, however, computations are on a one year base, or the first four out of the last five calendar quarters.

Torrance Man Pleads Guilty to Lewd Charge

Trapped by a note written in endearing terms and signed "Laurie," Lawrence M. Kirshman, 34-year-old local electrician, was arrested late last week by San Pedro officers in Peck park and taken to court where he pleaded guilty to a lewd conduct charge.

The officers had "staked out" for Kirshman, who later admitted in court that for the past several months he had frequented the park and was author of lewd writings on outdoor benches and on the walls of rest rooms. He gave his address as 1007 Portola avenue.

The note, which appeared to have been written by a woman, invited the suspect to a tryst in the park. Probation hearing and sentence for Kirshman was set for late this week by Judge Joseph Marchetti.

STATE PICNICS

MISSOURI . . . The annual spring picnic for all Missourians, which was postponed last Sunday, will be held Sunday, April 2, at Bixby Park in Long Beach.

NEW YORK, OREGON and WASHINGTON . . . Spring picnics and reunions for former residents of New York, Oregon and Washington will be held Saturday, April 8, in Squamere Grove Park, Los Angeles. Each state will have a separate section in the park and will open county headquarters for enrollment.

The Herald—3 months, 50 cents.

OBITUARY

JOHN HENRY JACOB DIETRICH . . . succumbed to a lingering illness. He was an 82-year-old retired watchmaker who lived at 25831 Cypress avenue, Lomita, for nearly 30 years. A native of Germany, Mr. Dietrich came to this country at the age of 21. He was married to his widow, Mrs. Rosa Dietrich, and other members of the family still living in the old country. The funeral was held Tuesday at the A. M. Gamby chapel in Lomita and cremation followed at Pacific Crest.

PHILIP EARL WILLIAMS . . . died Sunday at his home, 25815 Oak street, Lomita, after an illness of several months. He was 53 years old and was proprietor of a shoe repair shop on Highway 101. A native of Kentucky, Mr. Williams and his wife, Eula, came to Lomita about a year ago from Texas. He had been in failing health for some time and seriously ill for about six weeks. Two sons, Charles of Lomita, and F. W. of Los Angeles, also survive. Funeral service was Tuesday afternoon at the A. M. Gamby chapel in Lomita and cremation was at Roosevelt Memorial Park.

JULIET R. POLLAK . . . who passed away last Friday at the age of 80 years, lived at the home of her niece, Mrs. Juliette Johnson at 1820 Arlington avenue for the past five months. She was also survived by a nephew, William A. Davis of Long Beach. Last rites were held Monday afternoon at Stone and Myers' chapel with Joe L. Cooney, Christian Science reader, officiating. Private cremation services followed at Inglewood Park cemetery.

THOMAS BARRA . . . a resident at 2417 25th street, Lomita, passed away Tuesday at Los Angeles hospital following an operation. He was 41 years of age and was survived by his mother, Mrs. Margaret Barra, who lived with him; three sisters, Mrs. Lucy Zenitti of Wilmington, Mrs. Carrie Harrison of Long Beach and Mrs. Minnie Davis of Hollywood; and three brothers, Charles and George of Nevada and Joe of Colton. The funeral was this afternoon at the Gamby chapel and interment followed at Roosevelt Memorial Park.

Gardena Group Asks Street Work

Three requests for street improvement in North Torrance were received by the city council Tuesday night from the Gardena Valley Chamber of Commerce. Both were referred to the engineering department.

The Gardena association reported that Cherry avenue westward from Redondo avenue in the La Brea district was hazardous to motorists at night and needed surfacing or a light at the intersection with Western avenue. Chuck holes were reported in the pavement on 166th near Cherry and the need for a street light at Redondo Beach boulevard and Redondo avenue was called to the city's attention.

"Want to meet her?"—adv.

NOT "FOR CHILDREN ONLY"

An Editorial from the Rotarian-Magazine

Every parent wants his children, everybody's children, to have a playground. But he needs one, too. All adults do. A hard-pressed superintendent of steel mills in Gary, Indiana, once went to the late Elbert H. Gary and persuaded him, chairman of the United States Steel corporation, to appropriate \$250,000 toward the purchase of land along Lake Michigan, adjacent to Gary, to be given to the public as the Indiana Dunes State Park.

"I didn't know," a friend said to the superintendent, "that you had that much sentiment in you."

"It wasn't sentiment," he replied. "I merely pointed out to the Judge that in another generation or so, unless we acted now, all that land would be occupied by industries or homes, greatly increased in value, and out of reach. Our thousands of workers would then have no place to sit on the ground near the lake and eat picnic lunches undisturbed under the real trees. All the signs would say 'Private Property; No Trespassing.' And that would tend to breed inefficient, discontented, dangerous-minded workers, ready for anything. That's why I wanted the park. There wasn't a spark of sentiment about it."

For Mothers and Dads Too
Maybe not. But the end served, all the same, was on the side of imperishable human values.

The ancient Greeks had a myth about a mighty wrestler. His name was Antaeus. He was a good deal of a nuisance, because he made every stranger wrestle with him; and if the stranger lost, he was put to death. Antaeus could be thrown. But he always got up stronger than ever, thanks to contact with Mother Earth. The great Hercules came along one day, and by holding Antaeus completely off the ground, he succeeded in strangling him, and so ended his career.

There is immense significance in this ancient tale. All of us are stronger after direct contact with Mother Earth. We cannot long be kept away from it and still remain wholly normal and healthy. But an increasingly urbanized civilization makes even an occasional return to the good earth more difficult for many of us. That very difficulty, however, emphasizes the need. Happily many communities—led by alert groups of citizens—have long understood that need and have long been doing more than a little of it. For instance, they have built kiddie parks, wading pools, and woodland camps for the youngsters—and parks and flower gardens and tennis courts for the grownups.

In this as in most other cases it is no doubt only right to "think of the children first." Very well, let's do so. Let's give them a corner on recreational facilities of our communities, but let's save a corner—a grassy knoll or

Estate Petition Filed in Court

Letters testamentary to the estate of the late Mrs. Charlotte M. Hunn, who died at Torrance Feb. 27, are requested in a petition filed in Los Angeles county superior court this week by Attorney Kenneth B. Hughes of this city.

Improved real property consisting of two houses at 2411 Border avenue, is the principal item in the estate, which is valued at \$5,000. The estate is bequeathed to the widower, R. E. Hunn, and Mrs. Hunn's son, William E. Hook, of Torrance. April 11 was set for hearing on the petition.

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